FORM PTO-1390 (Modified) __ U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (REV. 7-2005) ETF-0036 TRAÑSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. 02 JULY 2003 PCT/EP2004/051286 29 JUNE 2004 TITLE OF INVENTION SELECTIVELY EMBOSSED SURFACE COVERINGS AND PROCESSES OF MANUFACTURE APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US DUNG DAO VIET; JEAN-YVES SIMON Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), 3. (9) and (24) indicated below. \boxtimes The US has been elected (Article 31). 4. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) 5. \boxtimes is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). has been communicated by the International Bureau. b. 🔲 is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. 🗆 is attached hereto. b. 🗆 has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)) 7.

c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
d. have not been made and will not be made.

3. 🔲 An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).

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9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).

10. An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).

11. A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).

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13. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.

14. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

A FIRST preliminary amendment.

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20. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

21. \square A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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